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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application  
Application No. 10/560,075; § 371 Date: December 9, 2005  
For: **Antineoplastic Agents Targeted Via GLUT Transporters**  
Inventors: ZHENG *et al.*  
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Dear Examiner Bland:

We would like to discuss the rejection issued in the Office Action mailed October 20, 2009 during our telephonic interview, which is scheduled for Tuesday, April 13, 2010, at 12 noon. In particular, we would like to discuss the rejection of claims 1, 2, and 25 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as allegedly being unpatentable over U.S. 2002/0198157 A1 ("Pandey") in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,989,140 B2 ("Tidmarsh") and Fukuzumi *et al.*, *J. Phys. Chem. A* 106:5105-5113 (2002) ("Fukuzumi").

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Respectfully submitted,

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